



SITE COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 20TH, 2015

- LOCATION: Liberty Library
- MEMBERS PRESENT: J. Gray, L. Shea, K. Goodere, R. Rust, A. Nuñez, C. Aguirre, D. Hicks, R. Drennen
- MEMBERS ABSENT: J. Oliver, L. Eblin, T. Roer, S. Seifert
- MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY: K. Goodere (2015.2016 Chairman)
- START TIME: 3:42 pm
- END TIME: 4:31 pm
 - MOTION TO ADJOURN: D. HICKS
 - 2ND: C. AGUIRRE
 - VOTE: ALL PRESENT MEMBERS APPROVE
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE. Said by all members present at the meeting
- NOTE TAKER: L. Shea

MINUTES REVIEW FROM: September 2015 Meeting

Highlight the movement of funds from smaller sub-accounts with Tax Credit Accounts to the General Accounts.

Motion to Accept: A. Nuñez

2nd: R. Rust

Vote: All members approve and accept the minutes.

ITEM #1, OLD BUSINESS-SCHOOL REPORTS:

- Review of Attendance:
 - List of current student numbers provided in 2 formats for members
 - Totals per Grade Level in format of Male/Female/Total
 - Total number of students in each classroom for K-8
 - Currently at 538 as of 10.20.2015
 - Up 10 from last months number of 528
 - Currently capped a certain grade levels for Open Enrollment.
- Review of Behavior Reports for August & September
 - Alcohol Violation-Had an 8th grade student bring liquor mixed with Root Beer in a Water Bottle. Student drank it on campus as well as offered & shared it with another 8th grade boy.
 - Gray in the process of working with Mrs. Vanica at the District Office to take steps in finding an alternative placement for the student who brought the alcohol.
- Review of Calendar for October & November:
 - OCTOBER Highlight from Gray:
 - PTO Movie Night
 - Fred Ribbon Week
 - notMYkid Parent Presentation (no students allowed to attend)



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- NOVEMBER Highlight from Gray:
 - Red Ribbon Presentation to all K-8 students
 - CARNIVAL-PTO doing food again this year, inflatable rentals also
 - Veteran's Day-No School
- Review of Board Report from October:
 - Students presented at the September Board Meeting. They presented on our Kids At Hope philosophy and talked about who the different ACES in their lives were.
 - January will be the next month for Liberty to make a presentation.
 - This presentation is typically for our PE and Music teachers to have an opportunity to showcase some of the innovative and interesting things being covered in their classes.

ITEM #2, NEW BUSINESS-BY-LAWS Q&A:

- There were no questions, concerns or clarifications requested by any of the members in attendance.

ITEM #3, NEW BUSINESS-TAX CREDIT:

- Reconciliation from the Business Office for the month of August was provided to all members to provide the current balance.
 - Recon. also details the encumbrances currently in place for the 2015/2016 school year
- C. Aguirre asked about Flyers and asked why the District/Business Office doesn't send them home to every family within the district.
- K. Goodere pointed out that most of our parents probably do not understand that it is a dollar-for-dollar tax deduction.
- J. Gray stated she would send home an Auto-Dialer with explanation of what Tax Credit is as well as send home flyers.

ITEM #4, NEW BUSINESS-STIPENDS:

- 2015/2016 Yearlong Stipend List and amount paid out to each staff member provided for the Site Council members.
- J. Gray pointed out that some of our larger groups/activities will sometimes have 2 co-sponsors so that they may share the responsibility.



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ITEM #5, NEW BUSINESS-OVERRIDE:

- Presented by J. Gray
 - As of this date, there has been no canvassing on behalf of our school because no one has showed up.
 - We believe that this override is happening at a bad time-especially seeing as how this is an election year.
 - Lots of parents and staff are asking how the Override will actually benefit our campus if it passes.
 - The material provided for canvassing did not match 100% with information that was presented by Dr. Rogers.
 - Dr. Rogers did present to our Liberty PTO.
 - It was a small but mighty group in attendance.
 - The parents that were in attendance represented us very well and brought up a lot of the same concerns we've been hearing from staff and other parents who are not on PTO
 - Parents VERY concerned about our campus losing Art and voiced that.